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TAGS: ETRD, UNCTAD, MFA

SUBJ: UNCTAD IV - RESOLUTION REGARDING MFA

1. IN RESPONSE TO G-77 RESOLUTION INCORPORATING MANILA
DECLARATION TEXT ON MULTIPLICATION AND EXTENSION OF MFA
TYPE ARRANGEMENTS (TD/195 P. 15) REQUEST CLEARANCE BY
IMMEDIATE CABLE FOLLOWING LANGUAGE AS INITIAL GROUP B
POSITION:

2. QUOTE: IT IS DESIRABLE TO AVOID, TO THE EXTENT
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FEASIBLE, THE MULTIPLICATION OF INTERNATIONAL ARRANGEMENTS

WHICH ARE DESIGNED TO FACILITATE THE ORDERLY DEVELOPMENT OF TRADE AND AVOID DISRUPTIVE EFFECTS IN BOTH IMPORTING AND EXPORTING COUNTRIES AND WHICH REQUIRE DEVELOPING COUNTRIES TO RESTRICT THEIR EXPORTS. UNQUOTE.

3. IF REFERENCE TO MFA CANNOT BE AVOIDED PROPOSE FOLLOWING ADDITION TO ABOVE PARA AS FALLBACK POSITION.

4. QUOTE: IN THIS RESPECT IT IS NOTED THAT THE PARTICIPATING COUNTRIES IN THE ARRANGEMENT REGARDING INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN TEXTILES IN ARTICLE I, PARA 7 RECOGNIZE THAT MEASURES TAKEN UNDER THIS ARRANGEMENT SHOULD BE CONSIDERED AS EXCEPTIONS, AND NOT LENDING THEMSELVES TO APPLICATION IN OTHER FIELDS.

5. IT IS ALSO NOTED THAT PURSUANT ARTICLE 10, PARA 5 OF THE ARRANGEMENT THE GATT TEXTILES COMMITTEE "SHALL MEET NOT LATER THAN ONE YEAR BEFORE THE EXPIRY OF THIS ARRANGEMENT IN ORDER TO CONSIDER WHETHER THE ARRANGEMENT SHOULD BE EXTENDED, MODIFIED OR DISCONTINUED." UNQUOTE.

6. COMMENT: IN ORDER TO GET AGREEMENT ON THIS APPROACH IT MAY BE NECESSARY TO AGREE TO DROPPING QUALIFYING LANGUAGE, OR AGREE ON STRONGER, MORE DIRECT LANGUAGE SUCH AS THE MULTIPLICATION OF ARRANGEMENTS.....SHOULD BE AVOIDED. UNQUOTE.
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